

**Amount due to be paid to the individuals Sandalwood loans in the South Coorg Division.**

\* Q.—828. Sri A. P. APPANNA (Virajpet).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(a) how much amount is due to be paid to the individuals as sandalwood loans and to how many people in the South Coorg Division of the Forest Department ;

(b) since how long the same is pending to be paid and what is the reason for the same ?

A.—Sri B. RACHIAH (Minister for Forests and Fisheries).—

(a) Nil.

(b) Does not arise.

**Supplying of diesel oil engines to the ryots on hire-purchase basis under the liberalised scheme in the State.**

\* Q.—839. Sri V. MASIYAPPA (Hiriyur).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(a) whether they are supplying diesel oil engines to the ryots on hire-purchase basis under the liberalised scheme in the State ?

(b) if so, the number of diesel oil engines supplied so far (district-wise information may be furnished) ;

(c) whether it has come to their notice that the ryots are not very enthusiastic to go in for diesel engines on account of the very high working cost, particularly the cost of diesel oil ;

(d) whether they would urge the Central Government to exempt the diesel oil used for agricultural purposes from taxes ?

A.—Sri H. C. BORIAH (Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Agriculture).—

(a) Yes.

(b) The number of diesel oil engines supplied in various districts is given in the statement given below.

(c) It has not come to the notice of the Government.

(d) Does not arise in view of reply to clause (c).

## STATEMENT.

## Distribution of Diesel Oil Engine Pumpsets

Sl. No.	District	No. of pumpsets supplied to the farmers to end of July 1963.
1.	Belgaum	312
2.	Pandavapura	4
3.	Bijapur	385
4.	Bellary	3
5.	Kolar	32
6.	Bangalore	34
7.	Mysore	12
8.	Shimoga	38
9.	Hassan	28
10.	Tumkur	29
11.	Chickmagalur	32
12.	Karwar	28
13.	Bidar	334
14.	Coorg	25
15.	Chitradurga	70
16.	Dharwar	20
17.	Gulbarga	243
18.	Mangalore	58
19.	Raichur	64
20.	Mandya	...
Total ...		1,751

**Copies of Kannada Reader II that were supplied to South Kanara District from 1-4-1963.**

\* Q.—853. Sri S. D. SAMRAJYA (Brahmavar).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(a) the strength of pupils studying in Standard I, II and III in South Kanara District;

(b) the number of copies of Kannada Reader II that were supplied to South Kanara District from 1-4-1963;

(c) for how many copies indents were received from the recognised book-sellers from the above date;

(d) whether they are aware that teaching has suffered for want of Kannada Reader II;

(e) the reason for this scarcity;

(f) when the Kannada Reader II would be made available in South Kanara District?